Subject No. 67.

Sale of Sugar-cane Mills on instalment system.

Messrs. Nadig Bhaskara Rao and Nadig Seetharamappa, Sorab Taluk.

Summary of Representation.

The system of selling Sugar-cane Mills to raiyats on instalments may be renewed for a period of three years.

Note:—Not discussed for want of time.

DEVELOPMENT—Moral and Material—(Co-operative Societies).

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Subject No. 68.

Speedy disposal of suits preferred by Co-operative Societies.

Mr. Gosayi Timmaiya, Hiriyur Taluk.

Summary of Representation.

The suits arising in Co-operative Societies are being filed before the Registrar, who in his multifarious duties is not disposing them of speedily. It was represented on many previous occasions that powers in this respect may be given to the Deputy Commissioner or to the Assistant Commissioner and nothing has been done till now. On account of delay in disposal of suits, the societies are deteriorating. It is therefore prayed that better arrangements may be made as suggested for the speedy disposal of society suits.

Note:—Not discussed for want of time.

Subject No. 69.

Reorganisation of Co-operative Societies with a view to increasing their efficiency.

Mr. B. M. Viraiya, Hiriyur Taluk.

Summary of Representation.

A large number of Co-operative Societies that have come into existence are in a very backward condition, partly owing to the difficulty of securing suitable secretaries and want of efficient supervision. The result has been that the members constituting these societies are sustaining much loss. To obviate this difficulty and in the interest of the villagers, it is prayed that in place of 8 or 10 important societies only one society in a prominent place may be permitted to be established. With regard to the recovery of money due to these societies, it is also prayed that Government may be pleased to render necessary help having regard to the benefit of the society.

Note:—Not discussed for want of time.

Subject No. 70.

Empowering Amildars to take cognizance of suits of Rs. 500 and below of Co-operative Societies.

Mr. K. Naranappa, Hole-Narsipur Municipality.

Summary of Representation.

In Section 16, Clause II B of the Co-operative Societies Regulation, the parties are authorised to go to the Civil Court. Instead of this, if the Amildar is empowered to take cognizance of cases of Rs. 500 and below and Co-operative Inspectors are authorised to execute decrease, etc., the Societies will thrive well and the expenditure of Co-operative Department will be minimised.

Note:—Not discussed for want of time.

Subject No. 71.

The law of limitation not to be made applicable to suits instituted by Co-operative Societies.

Mr. Timmannaiya, Tumkur District Board.

Summary of Representation.

As no specific provision was made in the Co-operative Societies Regulation No. III of 1905 that the law of limitation was applicable to suits instituted by Co-operative Societies, long standing arrears were being recovered from the defaulting members. But it was suddenly announced about September 1921 that the law of limitation applies to Co-operative